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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 and 1.115 in the above-identified application.

A paper requesting correction/substitution of drawings is attached. (X)

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AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are made in response to the non-final Office Action mailed November 6, 2002. A Petition for Extension of Time and the requisite fee for filing a response within the third month are enclosed. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application in light of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

In the Claims:

Please Cancel Claims 1-30 and 36-38 without prejudice.

Please amend Claims 31, 33, 39, 41, 49, 57 and 65 as provided on the next page:

(Please substitute each of the following amended claims for the pending claim with the same number):